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For: CASTABLE REFRACTORY POWDER COMPOSITION, PREMIXED

MATERIAL PREPARED THEREFROM, METHOD FOR CASTING PREMIXED

MATERIAL, AND HARDENED REFRACTORY BODY OBTAINED

**THEREFROM** 

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

## MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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